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For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR AUCTIONING BANKRUPTCY ASSETS AND VALUING SAME**

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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir(s):

A response to the Final Office Action mailed January 11, 2007 in the above-identified patent application is timely due April 11, 2007. Accordingly, the present amendment and response is deemed to be timely filed. Should there be any fees due and owing with respect to this paper, the Office is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-3208.

Reconsideration of the application in view of this paper is respectfully requested.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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